PROJECT FACT SHEET (24 FEB 04)

PROJECT: Fort Wayne Flood Control Project Rehabilitation

DESCRIPTION: The federally constructed Fort Wayne Flood Control Project is located in the City of Fort Wayne, Allen County, Indiana. Final completion of the four-phase project occurred in September 2001. The project provides improved flood protection to a large part of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana. The City of Fort Wayne is located at the headwaters of the Maumee River, which is formed by the confluence of the St. Mary's and St. Joseph Rivers. The project is located along the north bank of the St. Mary's River, the east and west banks of the St. Joseph River, and the north bank of the Maumee River. Junk Ditch and Spy Run Creek, which are tributary to the St. Mary's River, also have installed protection or improvements along their north and east banks, respectively. From July 4-9, 2003, the City of Fort Wayne endured the largest flood event ever recorded on the St. Mary's River. During this period of record high water levels, several areas and features of the constructed flood protection project were damaged to the point where the next high water event could result in increased and more costly damages. As a result of the damages incurred from this July 2003 flooding, the City of Fort Wayne requested Rehabilitation Assistance through Public Law (PL) 84-99 from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Detroit District. Work will be completed under the existing Project Cooperation Agreement (PCA) between the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (Corps) and the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana (non-Federal Sponsor).

CONGRESSIONAL INTEREST: Souder (R) IN-3; IN Senators Bayh (D) and Lugar (R)

LOCATION MAP & PICTURE:





NON-FEDERAL PROJECT SPONSOR: City of Fort Wayne (POC: Cathy Robb, 260-438-2351)

PROJECT AUTHORITY: Public Law (PL) 84-99

FUNDING:

	<u>lotal</u> <u>Federal</u>		<u>Non-Federal</u>		
Current Working Estimate	\$	300,000	\$ 300,000	\$	0
Funds Expended prior to FY04	\$	0	\$ 0	\$	0
Funds allocated in FY04	\$	28,600	\$ 28,600	\$	0
FY05 Budget	\$	0	\$ 0	\$	0
Funds that could be used in FY05	\$	0	\$ 0	\$	0
Funds required to complete (> FY05)	\$	0	\$ 0	\$	0

STAGE: Engineering and Design (E&D)

STATUS: PIR was forwarded to LRD on 17 Dec 2003 and approved on 2 Feb 2004. Funds to initiate the E&D phase of the project were received on 24 Feb 04. All work is at 100% Federal expense and is intended to be complete in FY04.

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